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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed January 14, 2002, applicant proposes to amend Figures 1A, 1B and 2 as shown by the additions highlighted in yellow on the accompanying sketches.

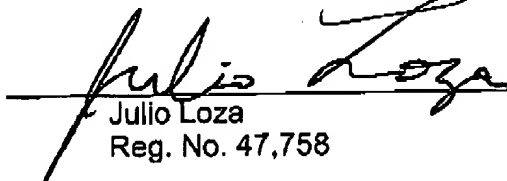
In Figures 1A, 1B and 2 the words PRIOR ART are added to each of the figures. No new matter is added.

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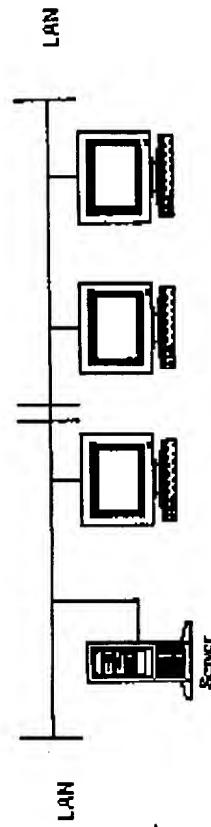


FIGURE 1A
(PRIOR ART)

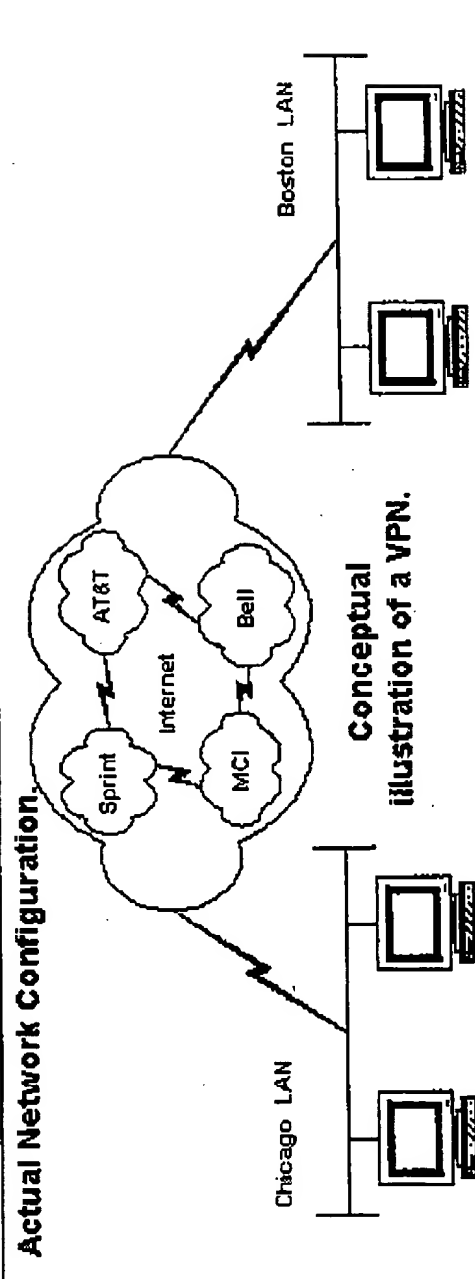


FIGURE 1B
(PRIOR ART)

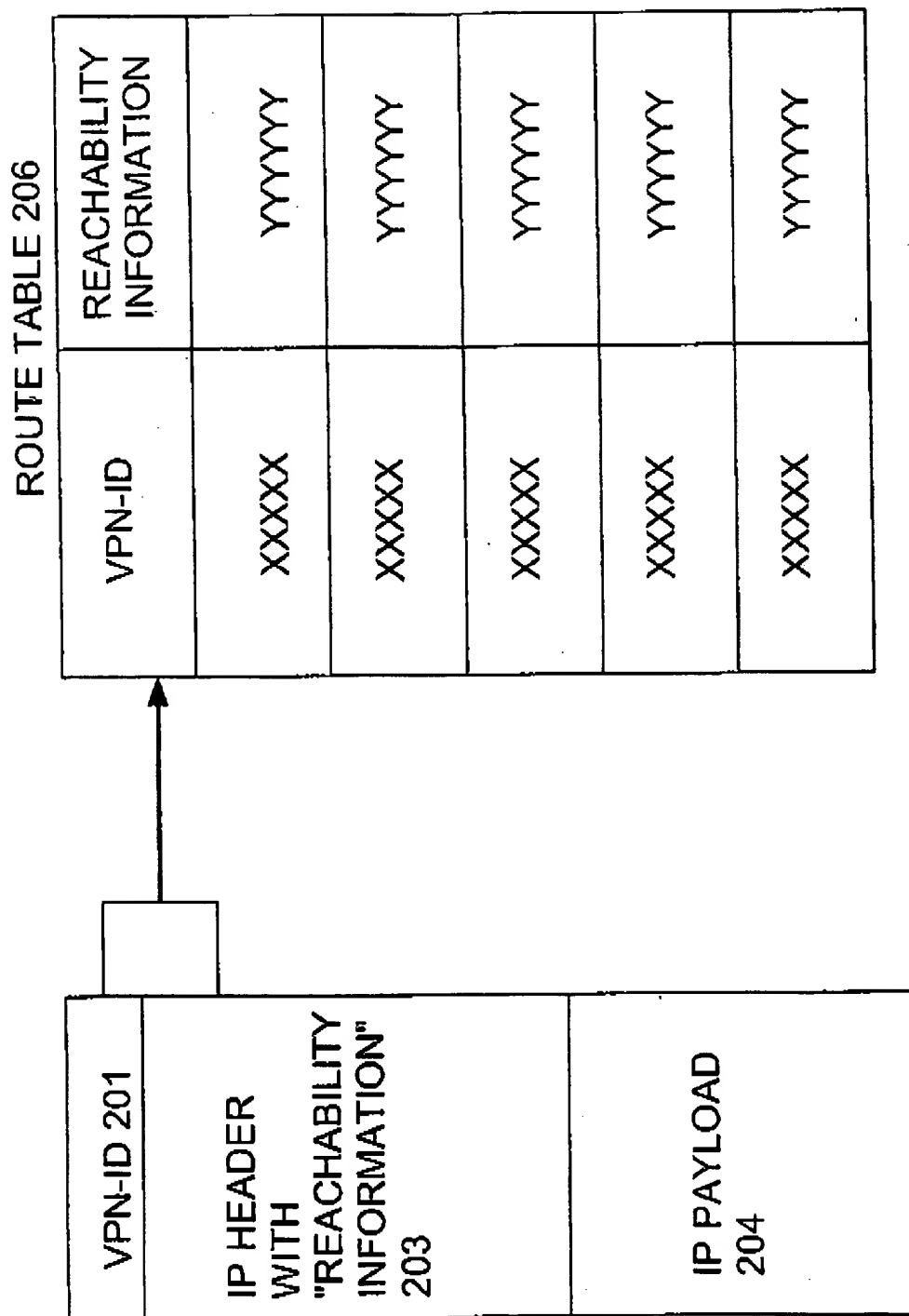


FIGURE 2
(Prior Art)